



# PROPOSED RULE MAKING

**CR-102 (June 2004)**

(Implements RCW 34.05.320)

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Agency: Department of Agriculture

- ☒ Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 08-01-108 ; or  
☐ Expedited Rule Making—Proposed notice was filed as WSR ; or  
☐ Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4).

- ☒ Original Notice  
☐ Supplemental Notice to WSR  
☐ Continuance of WSR

**Title of rule and other identifying information:** (Describe Subject) Chapter 16-108 WAC Washington State Egg Seals and Assessments – Section 010 Rate - This change affects egg handlers or dealers that pay monthly egg assessments in lieu of egg seals or facsimile egg seals imprinted on egg containers.

**Hearing location(s):** Room 205  
Natural Resources Building – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
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Olympia, WA 98504-2560

**Submit written comments to:**

Name: Teresa Norman  
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RulesComments@agr.wa.gov

fax (360)902-2092 by (date) 5:00pm July 10, 2008

Date: July 9, 2008 Time: 2:00 p.m.

**Assistance for persons with disabilities:** Contact

WSDA Receptionist by July 2, 2008

TTY (800) 833-6388 or (711)

**Date of intended adoption:** July 23, 2008

(Note: This is NOT the effective date)

**Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:**

The WSDA Food Safety Program is proposing changes to Chapter 16-108 WAC, Washington State Egg Seals and Assessments – Section 010 Rate. The purpose is to suspend collection of the egg assessment for three months.

**Reasons supporting proposal:** This change has been recommended by industry.

**Statutory authority for adoption:** Chapter 69.25 RCW and Chapter 34.05 RCW

**Statute being implemented:** Chapter 69.25 RCW

**Is rule necessary because of a:**

Federal Law?

☐ Yes ☒ No

Federal Court Decision?

☐ Yes ☒ No

State Court Decision?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, CITATION:

**DATE**

June 4, 2008

**NAME (type or print)**

Jerry Buendel

**SIGNATURE****TITLE**

Assistant Director of Agriculture

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Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:

Name of proponent: (person or organization) Department of Agriculture

- ☐ Private  
☐ Public  
☒ Governmental

**Name of agency personnel responsible for:**

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**Has a small business economic impact statement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW?**

☐ Yes. Attach copy of small business economic impact statement.

A copy of the statement may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

fax ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

☒ No. Explain why no statement was prepared. The rule change does not impose any costs on the industry.

**Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?**

☐ Yes A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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☒ No: Please explain: The WSDA is not a listed agency under RCW 34.05.328 (5)(a)(i).